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LOOTING AT THE PUMP: REP. MARKEY CALLS FOR AN INVESTIGATION OF RAMPANT GASOLINE PRICE-GOUGING

PRESS CONFERENCE

Friday, September 2, 2005 – 9:30 AM

<u>LOCATION:</u> <u>MEDFORD SQUARE MOBIL</u> <u>1 MYSTIC AVE</u> <u>MEDFORD, MA</u>

MEDFORD, MA — U.S. Representative Edward J. Markey (D-Malden), a senior member of the House Energy and Commerce Committee, will be holding a press conference on Friday, September 2, 2005 at 9:30 AM to blast the Bush Administration for an ineffective energy policy. Rep. Markey today will discuss his plan to create a federal gasoline anti-profiteering task force to insure that consumers are not of price-gouging at gasoline stations.

For more on Rep. Markey's work on energy policy, please visit his website at www.house.gov/markey.

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